

XLVIth CONGRESS—11d Session.

REGULAR REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS.
THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE NOT READ—FAILURE OF THE EIGHT-HOUR RESOLUTION—NO EXTRA PAY FOR EMPLOYEES—THE SALT BILL—THE DONNELLY-WYSBURN CONTEST—FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

SENATE.....WASHINGTON, June 16, 1880.
In the Senate at 9 o'clock many a dozen Senators were present. The Chaplain's prayer contained an allusion to the approaching close of the session and invoked the Divine guardianship of the Senators during the vacation.

Mr. JOSEPH (Dem., Fla.) from the Committee on Naval Affairs, reported with an amendment the joint resolution instructing the Secretary of the Navy to take the necessary steps to secure an adequate naval station and harbor for the use of the United States naval forces, at proper points, on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of Central America and the American Isthmus. He asked its present consideration.

Mr. COCKRELL (Dem., Mo.) said that the message had been before Congress for several months without being acted upon. He moved to adjourn in a measure, declaring the session closed in an international question, being brought in on the last two and a half hours of the session.

The motion went on the calendar.

The Senate bill for the relief of Dodd, Brown & Co., allowing their claim for \$55,000 on certain Indian tracts approved by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

was referred to the Select Committee on Indian Affairs.

At 9:40 Mr. RANDOLPH (Dem., N.J.) moved to go into executive session to consider the Repub-

lican motion in order to proceed to the con-

sideration of the message of the President.

Mr. RANDOLPH and others. That can be done after-

ward. The doors were closed at 10 o'clock.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Treasury in regard to the claim of the United States for a per cent tax on the stock dividends of the Newark Central and Hudson River Railroad Company of 1869.

Mr. HARRIS (Dem., Tenn.) moved to consider the House bills on the calendar.

Mr. ANTHONY (Rep., R.I.) moved to consider the

President's message.

Mr. HARRIS—It will not take thirty minutes to dispose of these bills.

Mr. ANTHONY—It is not respectful to the President to read promptly when it came in, although it was late.

Mr. HARRIS—The bill was introduced—30; 30; 30; 17.

Mr. CARLISLE—We were therefore passed as follows:

Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to propose an act of Congress to establish a national forest and park in the Fort Verde region, extending across the Fort Russell and Fort Verde Military reservations.

Authorizing the creation of a loss allowance for carrying their reservation in said State, and for purposes as may be deemed necessary.

Authorizing the Mississippi River Logging Company to construct and operate river boats at or near Strachan.

For the construction of a building for the use of the United States of Texas, Oahu.

For the relief of the 15th and 16th Missouri Cavalry Volunteers.

For the settlement of all outstanding claims against the District of Columbia, and confirming jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear the same; and for other purposes.

Mr. CARLISLE—In the first part of the resolution, and concerning certain grants on the Association of the Treasury of the United States, now held by the Master of Pittsburgh, Penn.

Granting right of way across Watershed road, Springfield, Mass., to the Springfield and New London Railroad Company.

For the relief of Client and District Courts of the United States from the Northern to the Southern District of said State.

For the erection of a public building in Danville, Va.

Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint a Deputy Collector at Lake Charles, La.

For the erection of the public domain in Fort Riley reservation in Kansas.

Granting right of way across the Fort Riley reservation between the States of New-York and Vermont respecting the boundary between said State and the 36th subdivision of Section 32:4:4 of the Revised Statutes.

For the establishment of a land office in Montana.

For the construction of a marine hospital at New-Orleans.

For the removal of obstructions from the harbor at the Delaware River.

To authorize the free importation of articles for the use of the State of Texas.

To provide for Circuit and District Courts of the United States at Macao, G., and to transfer certain counties from the Northern to the Southern District in said State.

For the erection of a post office and for other purposes.

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